

Mr. Rutledge presented the petition of C. Munnikuyson and 50 others, of Harford county, in favor of a poll tax and change of Constitution for that purpose.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Vandiver presented the petition of Ann Grafton, of Harford county, praying a pension as widow of a soldier of the war of 1812.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Brooke presented the petition and protest of 39 citizens of Barton, Allegany county, Md., against the passage of the bill imposing restrictions on building associations.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Scott presented the petition of the Washington County Grange, praying the Legislature to repeal all laws existing that exempt certain property from taxation.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Vandiver presented the petition of J. M. Simmons and 160 other citizens of Harford county, praying for a law for the protection of houses of public worship.

Which was read and referred to the Harford delegation.

Mr. Brown submitted the following order:

Ordered, That during this week no local bills shall be considered at the day sessions, and that the evening sessions be devoted to the consideration of Local and General House bills.

Mr. Brown moved the previous question,

The question being,

"Shall the main question be now put?"

The yeas and nays were called and appeared as follows:

#### AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs.

Boyer,

Usilton,

Robinson,

Whitelock,

Smith, of B. Co.,

Ford,

Lambdin,

Briscoe,

Snowden,

Purnell,

Boyle,

Culbreth,

Rusk,

Berkemeier,

Lewis,

McWilliams,

Hoblitzell,

Stewart,

McAleese,

Gill,

Harig.

Sanders,

Rawlings,

Atkinson,

Sprigg,

Brooke,

Brown,

Rinehart,

Waters, of Car'l.,

Dashiell,